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SUBJ: SOVIET PROTEST ON HIGH-LEVEL FRG PARTICIPATION IN PRESIDENT'S
BERLIN VISIT.

REF: BERLIN 04662

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1. SOVIET EMBASSY PROTEST REFERRED TO REFTEL WAS CARRIED
IN NEUES DEUTSCHLAND OF JULY 17 AS A DESPATCH CREDITED TO
TASS/ADN. DESPATCH DID NOT RPT NOT MAKE CLEAR WHETHER IT
ENCOMPASSED FULL TEXT OF SOV EMB STATEMENT. TEXT FOLLOWS:

2. BEGIN TEXT: HEADLINE: PROTEST AGAINST ILLEGAL OFFICIAL
ACTS IN WESTBERLIN (SIC); DECLARATION OF THE EMBASSY OF THE
USSR IN THE GDR.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE VISIT (AUFENTHALT) TO WESTBERLIN (SIC)
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OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE USA CARTER, WHERE HE WAS ACCOMPANIED
IN THE COURSE OF HIS STATE VISIT TO THE FRG BY HIGH-RANKING
OFFICIALS OF THE FRG IN THEIR OFFICIAL CAPACITY, THE
SOVIET EMBASSY IN THE GDR FOUND IT NECESSARY TO CALL
ATTENTION TO THE FACT THAT THE WESTERN SECTORS OF BERLIN
(AS IS WELL KNOWN) ARE NOT PART OF THE FRG AND MAY NOT
BE GOVERNED BY IT. CONSEQUENTLY, ALL ATTEMPTS BY FRG

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS TO CREATE A DIFFERENT IMPRESSION,
OR TO ACT AS IF THIS CITY WERE A LAND OF THE FRG (AND
THE US PRESIDENT BEING DEMONSTRATIVELY ACCOMPANIED BY
WEST GERMAN STATESMEN WAS ONE SUCH ATTEMPT) CANNOT ALTER
THE PRINCIPLE WHICH WAS REAFFIRMED BY THE QA OF SEPT 3,
1971, NAMELY, THAT BERLIN IS NOT PART OF THE FRG AND
CANNOT BE GOVERNED BY IT. IT IS COMPLETELY CLEAR THAT
ILLEGAL ACTIONS BY THE FRG DO NOT SERVE THE INTERESTS OF
MAINTAINING A NORMAL AND PEACEFUL (RUHIGE) ATMOSPHERE
IN THIS AREA, AN OBJECTIVE FOR WHICH THE SOVIET UNION
CONSISTENTLY STRIVES. END TEXT.
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3. THE SOVIET STATEMENT HAS NOT RPT NOT YET BEEN
OFFICIALLY TRANSMITTED TO THIS MISSION. WE SHALL ADVISE
IF IT IS SO TRANSMITTED.
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